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Subject: Fw: Rodenticide Mitigation - Bait Stations  
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let me know what you think.....if it's for indoor use it doesn't have to be secured.  
like i said we may need to ask bill/dan.

john

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From: "John Lublinkhof" <jlublinkhof@belllabs.com>  
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Dear John,

We are making good progress in developing a mouse disposable bait station for use by retail consumers that will likely meet the requirements of Tier 1. Excellent results are shown with the dog testing. We plan to submit the station and subject them to testing with small children. In the mitigation decision document, it says that for Tier 1,2 and 3, they need to be tested with adults for facility of opening, re closing and securing. The station we have developed is completely sealed with no opening/closing mechanism. We don't believe it is appropriate to conduct any test with adults. Please provide me with EPA's position on this.

Many thanks,

John Lublinkhof  
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